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late J. D. Bessler. Later

he engaged in the

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which trade he

learned in youth,

and his factory and

store in Aurora

became one of the

best known

places of its kind.

A man of

Insurance Co. in Trouble.
[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]
Pittsburgh, Pa., May 2.—J. Denny O'Neill, insurance commissioner of Pennsylvania, this morning took charge of the Pittsburgh Life & Trust company. Late yesterday he applied to the county court for an order prohibiting the company from further doing business and asking for the appointment of a receiver. Temporary orders were granted today, and Monday set as the date for the hearing. Mr. O'Neill also went before a magistrate and asked for the arrest of six persons whom he charged with diverting the funds of the company.

Societies and Clubs

Wednesday.

Autumn Lodge No. 45, I. O. O. F., will hold a regular meeting Wednesday, May 2, at 8 p. m. in the Odd Fellows temple. All visiting Odd Fellows are welcome. Work in the first degree will be done.—N. G. Patterson, Noble Grand; Paul W. Healy, Sec.

The meeting of the Helping Hands has been postponed until Wednesday of next week.

The Ladies Aid society of the Fourth street church will meet with Mrs. A. Hutchison in Seventh avenue from 8 a. m. to 10 a. m. All outstaying money from bazaar will please be reported.

Special meeting of Aurora Lodge No. 244, A. F. & A. M., Wednesday, May 2, at 7 o'clock p. m. for work. All Masons are invited.—F. A. Rowley, Master; J. T. Nicol, Sec.

Regular meeting of Aurora Star Council No. 54, Vesta Circle of America, in Dillenburg hall Wednesday evening. All members are requested to be present. New candidates will be initiated and arrangements will be made for the May party in Charlemagne on the tenth. Refreshments after meeting.

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GERMANS ATTACK ALONG AISNE FRONT

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]
Paris, May 2, 2:07 p. m.—The Germans made several attacks last night along the Aisne front. Today's official announcement says they were particularly repulsed by French machine gun fire and grenades. In the Champagne the French made progress.

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SLAV FRONT QUIET

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]
Belgrade, May 2, via London, 5:10 p. m.—(Official Admiralty per Wireless Press.)—Except for an intensive bombardment by the Germans in one sector there have been only the usual activities along the Balkan front and in the Romanian theater.

SKIN DISEASES MEAN BAD BLOOD

Lotions and Ointments Cannot Cure Them

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The fiery itching and burning of the skin caused by these irritations sometimes becomes almost unbearable. It is at all times a source of great discomfort, and the sufferer will gladly try almost anything for relief. A great majority of those afflicted, however, make the mistake of resorting to local applications such as ointments, lotions, salves, soaps, washes, etc. They do not realize that these local applications cannot possibly reach the source of the trouble, and no permanent cure can be expected from any disorder unless treated at its source.

You can use ointments by the pound and lotions by the gallon and make absolutely no real progress toward getting rid of these diseases, for such treatment is only palliative and not curative. No one has yet been cured of similar afflictions until they realized that the disease was in the blood, and directed the treatment toward cleansing the blood and eliminating from it the disease germs.

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YELLIN GIVEN PERMIT TO OPEN ON SUNDAY

The city has given Barnett Yellin, a clothier at 105 Main street, permission to keep his store open Sunday. Yellin cannot be charged with violating the Sunday closing law, they say, because he worships Saturday. He keeps his store closed until sundown Saturdays, but opens in the evening. Under a state law the city cannot forbid Yellin from opening Sunday, City Attorney Kelley said today.

JEWELERS TO MEET, DINE AND TALK SHOP

The jewelers of the Fox river valley will meet at Manhattan cafe at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening for the purpose of discussing prices and devising ways to cope with the present difficulties in the retail jewelry trade caused by the disturbed conditions in the East. Charles P. Manahan, secretary of the Illinois Jewelers' association, will be in charge of the meeting.

In addition to the Fox river valley goldsmiths, there will be delegations present from the Joliet District club, the Illinois Valley club and the Twenty-four Karat club of Chicago. E. J. Peck is in charge of the local arrangements. Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock, the business meeting to follow.

The state convention will be held in Chicago May 8, 9 and 10.

Beacon-News want ads introduce you to buyers, sellers, tenants, landlords, employers, employees, etc.

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TELLS AURORA FOLK OF RUSSIAN REVOLT

How Movement Started Thru
Local Republics Explained
by Victor Yarros.

Slava Have Had Cooperation for
Years Despite Ignorance
and Czar's Opposition.

The Forum crowded the Lincoln cafeteria to the doors, with visitors standing last night. It was the last meeting for the season. The next meeting will be held in October. Victor Yarros of Hull house, an editorial writer for the Chicago Herald, and special lecturer of the Chicago School of Civics and Philanthropy, addressed the meeting on "The Russian Revolution."

Revolt of All Peoples.—The uprising in Russia is not a revolution of radicals, but a protest against hunger, treachery and dishonesty, Mr. Yarros said. "All classes have joined in the movement, even the ultra-loyal citizens, Russian soldiers were dying and fighting without guns or equipment. When, on popular demand, the czar dismissed 40 ministers, he replaced them with 40 more from the same gang. The nation was betrayed. Many ministers have German names and were pro-German in their sympathies. The situation became so acute and treacherous, so persistent that the autocracy had not a friend left when the revolution came."

"The revolution is the climax of 100 years of development. For a century there has not been a day but a bloody demonstration or a wider spread of democratic ideas has prepared for revolution. The Russian peasant is already accustomed to self-government in the village commune, a little republic. The revolution made general what before was local. The Russian also have developed \$5,000, co-operative societies, dealing in machinery, live stock and banks."

Czar Feared Cooperation.—The government feared this movement as it did the labor union, for the people were learning to work. Because of government opposition, making the organization illegal, the trade union became anti-government. Labor organizations were particularly feared because they are found in great industrial centers where the sentiment spreads rapidly to intellectual and other groups. Public protest culminated ten years ago, during the Russo-Japanese war, in the organization of the dumka. Peasant members of the dumka returned home, and filled with discussions by professors and political leaders, helped to impress the people that the czar, to whom they had always looked for help, was not infallible, wise or good.

"Because the czar was the head of the church criticism of him had meant blasphemy. With all of these forces working upon the popular mind, the revolution followed inevitably, when the people began to starve with an abundance of grain stored away and with the railroads not running because of incooperation. The people just confided in autocracy and took affairs into their own hands. Ultra-conservatives and radicals working together."

Still Many Dangers.—The revolution is not yet galloping down. There are yet many dangers. There is a tendency for the radicals to over-democratize all at once—they seek to banish capital, to abolish the passing of political authority. Russia has the brains to weather the storm. Our own United States senate possesses only four minds as great as those in control of the Russian government today. Russia's greatest danger is the misapprehension of her army. Russia needs education, the masses are illiterate, but they have been trained in democracy. President Wilson truly said that autocracy is alien to the real Russian spirit."

T. W. Cooper, assistant ticket agent in the local office of the Burlington railroad left this morning on a two weeks' vacation. Mr. Cooper will spend part of his time at San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. Clara Comstock has returned from Sheridan, Wyo., where she has been visiting her son Rex.

Mrs. Margaret Williams and Mrs. John F. Cass have gone to Tacoma, Wash., to attend the funeral of J. P. Cass.

Relieve Mother of Bake Day Drudgery

Give her a rest that has been rightfully earned. The housecleaning season with its hundred and one problems calls for enough work over-time without the added burden of bake day.

Turn the duty of bake-over worries over to those better equipped. Let mother take the time thus saved to enjoy the sunshine and other springtime pleasures.

"I will make for her better health and the family will be money ahead."

From
The Clean
Shop
Daily

Butter-Krust Bread is sold by leading
dealers all over town and at our store.

Fishers
14 South Broadway

News in Brief

Betty Wales Girls.—And Mr. Kidd, 17-year-old dramatic club, N. W. 2, A. May 2, is coming.

North Broadway Fire.—The fire department made a run this morning at 5:30 o'clock to 274 North Broadway, where a house in the rear of the lot was found to be in flames. The building was formerly a barn and recently was converted into a rooming house. Robert Haynes, colored, lives in the house. The fire was caused from a defective stove pipe running thru the roof, sparks from the pipe being responsible. The loss estimated at about \$20.

Young Man.—Attend to that life insurance now. The New York Life still offers liberal terms to those engaging in military service. C. C. Wroughton, Agent.

Complete Inventory.—The work of taking the annual inventory in the Burlington shops was completed this morning by the force of clerks under storekeeper W. J. Turner. The work has been going on for the past week and includes the entire local shops.

Removal Sale.—To reduce my stock before going to my new location, I am offering all trimmed hats in black and colors at one-third off. Must be sold at once. Kinney Hat Shop, 128 Fox street.

Car Did Not Hit Him.—John Geiger who was taken ill and fell on the sidewalk at the corner of Claim and State streets yesterday morning and was then taken to the St. Charles hospital, left the hospital soon after being attended by a physician. The patient was not struck by a street car, as was thought at first. H. Sherman, motorman on a Claim street car which was approaching the man, said that Geiger was standing on the sidewalk and fell over. Sherman says that he stopped the car, went to the assistance of Geiger and then called the watchman from the Automobile. The watchman sent for the police ambulance which took the sick man to the hospital.

Louis Okpal.—The contractor, has moved from 42 Iowa avenue to his new home, 83 North May street.

Latest.—Song his between dances Saturday night. Zouave hall.

Station Master Resigns.—LeRoy Arns, station master at the A. E. & C. line, has resigned his position with the company and will go to North Dakota with his wife. Mrs. Arns' parents live there.

Chocolate Cherries.—Special 40c box Shaffer's Confectionery, Downer place.

Car Men Promoted.—Three street car conductors and two motormen of the A. E. & C. line were given advancement today when they took new jobs on the third rail line of the company. They are: Conductors J. F. Schramm, L. F. Sparrow and J. C. Webber and motormen J. Cochran and H. B. Slusser. These men were given the new positions in accordance with the seniority arrangement which the company and employees have. The older employees have the first consideration for advancement when changes are to be made but some of the older men in this case did not apply for the positions on the third rail which these men got.

30c Pound.—For chocolate creams, good quality, assorted flavors. Shaffer's Confectionery, Downer place.

Oak Park Chief Resigns.—George Lee, chief of police at Oak Park for 25 years, an officer of the Illinois Policeman's association and known to many in Aurora, resigned yesterday. He will conduct a private detective agency.

New Hospital Worker Here.—Miss Della Hunt, who has had charge of the training school work at Hahnemann hospital, Chicago, began her new duties at the Aurora hospital today. Miss Hunt is filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Bonabella King.

Military Funeral at Leland.—Robert Stevenson of Leland, a private in the regular United States army, who died at Fort Bliss, Texas, last Friday, was given a military funeral at Leland today.

Little Boy in Hard Luck.—George Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Wood of Main street is pursued by a flux. He has the whooping cough and then while playing in his home fell and broke his collar bone.

MAN WHO STABBED SOLDIER IS HELD

Henry Ortmann Taken to Chicago
—To Go to N. Y. Detention
Camp for War.

May Then Be Deported. Federal
Agent Here on Case
Declares.

Henry Ortmann, 29 years old, who stabbed Michael Kaylor, a militiaman, Monday night when the soldier told him he had "better quit shouting for the Kaiser," will be taken to Chicago tonight and from there sent to the detention camp at Ellis Island, New York. He will be kept in the camp with other enemy aliens until after the war.

It was announced at police headquarters last night by A. R. Reed, a government secret service man, that Ortmann would be taken to the Ellis Island camp. A United States deputy marshal was to arrive in Aurora this afternoon to take charge of the prisoner.

Remarks Treasonable.—Testimony of witnesses was taken by the government man last night in the office of Chief of Police McCarty. Several who were in the barroom at the time of the stabbing testified that Ortmann was yelling, "Hurl rah for the Kaiser, to — with the United States." The remarks alone were enough to warrant the taking of Ortmann into custody, the government man said.

After hearing the witnesses, Reed was taken to Ortmann's room in the Men's Home hotel. He found it decorated with pictures of Kaiser Wilhelm.

May Be Deported.—"Ortmann will be taken to Ellis Island and held there as an enemy alien until after the war," the secret service man said. "After the war he may be deported as an undesirable citizen."

Attorney Fred Shearer was retained by L. Okpal, Ortmann's employer, to prevent, if possible, the prisoner's deportation.

Ortmann came to the United States from Germany four years ago and has been living in Aurora ever since. He has no relatives living in this country and has been "bitching it" in the Men's Home hotel. He was taken to his room today to get his belongings. While there he tore up a number of letters and photographs.

Obituary

Philip Schickler.
The funeral of the late Philip Schickler will be held from the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. A. M. Loh officiating. Interment in Spring Lake cemetery.

Mrs. Mary C. Downing.
Mrs. Mary Catherine Downing, aged 77 years, one of Aurora's oldest citizens passed away at the Aurora hospital this morning at 8 o'clock after a lingering illness of the past several months. She had been failing in health all winter and was removed to the hospital yesterday morning.

She was born Sept. 27, 1839, at Winchester, Quercy county, Ohio, and came to Aurora 50 years ago, having lived here ever since. She was one of the charter members of the Fourth Street M. E. church and had a wide circle of friends.

Mrs. Downing was first married to George Watkins, one of the old Burlington engineers before the strike of 1893. He died many years ago and was later married to Digery Downing who died several years ago. She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. Peter L. Hoffman of Aurora, with whom she made her home at 268 Marion avenue; two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams of Aurora and Mrs. Ira O. Smith of California; one brother, Frank M. Barry of Chicago and one son, Joseph Watkins of Chicago.

The funeral will be held from the late home, the home of her daughter, Mrs. Peter L. Hoffman, 268 Marion avenue Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. George P. Courier will officiate. Interment will be in Spring Lake cemetery.

Margaret Langton Funeral.
The funeral of the late Miss Margaret Langton will be held from the late home, 233 Kane street, Thursday morning at 9 o'clock as from St. Mary's church at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

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Ask For Horlick's
THE ORIGINAL
Malted Milk
Safe
For Infants
& Invalids
Substitutes
Coke YOU
Same Price
A Nutritious Diet for All Ages.
Keep Horlick's Always on Hand
Quick Lunch; Home or Office.

THE OXSUL STORE
THE STORE FOR EVERYBODY
57 North Broadway
Both Phones 62

Oyster crackers, special, 3 lbs. for 25c
Bulk cornmeal, 5 1/2 lbs. for 25c
People's choice blend coffee, per lb. 21c
Fancy head rice, 3 lbs. for 20c
Pancake flour, 3 packages for 25c
Cocoa, per lb., 18c; 2 lbs. for 35c
Fancy strawberries, 2 boxes for 25c
Corn Flakes, per package 5c

B. OCHSENSCHLAGER and C. SUTHERLAND

Home of Society Brand Clothes for Young Men and Men Who Stay Young

Jack Holslag
THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE
Downer Place at River Street

Turning on the Spotlight

OLD SOL beamed forth again yesterday—brought us face to face with "real weather" and the fact that it's high time for a change in "mere man's" raiment—your old suit and overcoat don't feel just right.

So, now, I invite you here to see the great display of Suits and Top Coats, the many patterns, the scores of styles—all ready for the warmer season. Your particular attention is directed to Holslag service and Jack's conscience guarantee of absolute satisfaction. My prices are always modest with quality considered first.

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Be sure to see the \$18 and \$20 garments and you young men give the "once over" to the "Sport" models.

Jack Holslag

WEBER-M'BANE

John Weber and Miss Mary Mc-Bane were married Monday afternoon at St. Mary's church by the Rev. P. J. McGuire. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas. Mrs. Weber went to housekeeping at 201 North Union street.

CAESARIAN OPERATION

A Caesarian operation was successfully performed upon Mrs. Adam Schmitt, 508 Liberty street, this morning by Dr. O. S. Parker at St. Joseph's hospital. Mrs. Schmitt gave birth to a little baby daughter. Both mother and child are doing nicely. Mrs. Schmitt was formerly Miss Hazel Campbell.

Delay Naming New Detective.—A successor to Detective Milton Smith, who has been reduced to the rank of patrolman, will not be appointed until Friday, Chief of Police McCarty said today. The selection will be made by the board of police and fire commissioners.

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Societies and Clubs

Thursday.
Regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors of North Aurora will be held Thursday evening in Woodman hall. Officers of drill team requested to be present. The regular monthly meeting of the First Baptist Women's society will be held at the home of the pastor's wife, Mrs. R. H. Claxon, 540 Garfield avenue, Thursday afternoon. A large attendance is expected.

Friday.
Aurora lodge, No. 469, L. O. O. F. will have its regular meeting Thursday, May 3. All members are requested to attend. Refreshments after meeting.—William Wilson, secretary.

Friday.
Oiga lodge No. 28, Ladies of Vikings, will hold a regular meeting Friday evening, May 4, in Schoeberlein hall.

Triax social circle will meet all day Friday in L. O. O. F. hall. Committee will serve luncheon.

The Ladies of Columbus will hold a business meeting in K. C. hall Friday afternoon, followed by a social hour. Refreshments will be served. All members are requested to attend.

The Daughters of Veterans' tent, No. 2, will meet in G. A. R. hall Friday evening.

May 4, at 7:45 o'clock sharp. Business of importance.—Secretary.
Regular meeting of Minnehaha Rebekah lodge will be held in L. O. O. F. hall Friday evening. Meeting will be called promptly at 7:20 o'clock on account of the entertainment following.

MINISTERS ENJOY YEARLY BANQUET LAST EVENING

The annual banquet of the Aurora Ministerial alliance was held at the T. W. C. A. last evening. A brief business session, the last for the season, preceded the toast. The campaign of the Aurora City hospital for a fund of \$100,000 was endorsed. The Rev. Reuben H. Claxon responded to the toast, "The Minister's Wife," and Mrs. A. J. Heaps responded with "The Minister's Wife's Husband."

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(By JOE REISING)

HARD at it—bending every effort to satisfy the demands of hundreds just as promptly as possible! That's the condition in which we continue to find ourselves; a situation I have reason to believe and feel certain will confront us for some days to come. Thrifty buyers simply cannot resist the tempting values in this sale. They can't afford to stay away and the majority know it.

If you've visited shoe stores lately you must know about where retail prices stand (in other stores) at this particular time. They're high, yes, and due to go higher still.

The scarcity of materials and shoe craftsmen, principally the former, have been responsible for the heavy advances of the past year. Now that war has been declared this continued scarcity of leather, coupled with the greater demand of foreign nations and the subsequent shortage of workmen, is going to send all footwear to the highest selling point ever known in the history of the business.

Should this not be sufficient warning then, to all men and women that now, while this golden opportunity is at hand, is the time to buy?

You remember what you used to pay for shoes and oxfords two years ago. Well, come here NOW and you can buy them for even less, and the same kind of fine goods.

Other honest shoe men will advise you NOW to invest your money in only the very best shoes. The very best at other stores NOW means that you must pay the big prices. All right, take any shoe man's advice as to grade, but don't pay the price; you don't have to, as long as this stock holds out.

Certainly there are no better shoes made today than Walk-Overs. Never was or never will be. You can choose from this brand new and complete stock the latest styles in high and low shoes (same for men and children), and obtain a maximum value; a shoe in the height of fashion, built to wear and sold to serve—fitted to your foot as they should be, at whatever price you feel you can afford to pay.

I'm here to tell you that no other sale in years has evoked quite the spontaneous buying action as has this sale of GOOD SHOES.

There's a reason, of course—WALK-OVERS—PRICE!

Figure it out for yourself.

Shoes and Slippers for Women and Children

Pricings from the First Floor

Ladies' black kid seamless pumps, welt sole, "Acme" last, Louis heel, \$3.85 Sale Price \$3.85
Ladies' champagne kid lace boots, 3-inch tops, welt sole, Louis heel, a \$12 boot, Sale Price \$7.95
Ladies' white kid lace oxfords, turn "Acme" last, kid covered, Louis aluminum plate heels, widths AAA to D, sizes 2 to 8, worth \$9, Sale Price \$6.65
Ladies' white canvas oxfords, seamless vamp, tango last, ivory sole, Louis heel, Sale Price \$3.65
Ladies' black kid glazed lace boot, 9-inch top, welt sole, worth \$8.00, now \$4.95
Women's Glaze Kangaroo Boots, lace or button, extra light weight sole, 16-8 semi-leather, Louis heel, \$7.50 grade, Sale Price \$5.95

Women's calf vamp, flat top boots, on the "Cavalier" last, welt, tip, 11-4 high heel, \$6 grade, Sale Price \$4.55
Women's Patent Kid Button Boots, cloth top, turn Cuban heel, pointed toe, \$5.50 grade, Sale Price \$3.95
Women's Patent Kid Button Boots, black cloth top, medium low heels, round toe, \$5.50 grade, Sale Price \$3.95
Women's Patent Vamp Boots, with bright kid tops, lace, leather Louis heel, narrow toe, 10-inch top, \$6.50 grade, Sale Price \$4.95
Women's Kid Button and Lace Boots, in a medium round toe, 10-inch low heel, light weight, McKay sole, \$5.00 grade, Sale price \$3.85
Women's Black Kid Turns, Nemo pump on the "Minuet" last, 16-8 inch semi leather, Louis heel, \$5.50 grade, Sale Price \$4.45

The "Subway's" Greater Values

Ladies' \$3.50 Walk-Over Shoes, leather vamps, cloth tops, welt soles and medium heels and toes, good wear, vincible shoes, now \$2.45
Ladies' \$4.00 Walk-Over low heel, broad toe, welt button shoes, now \$1.95
Ladies' \$3.50 Walk-Over Patent Leather Button Shoes, black cloth top, welt soles, high straight heels \$1.95
Ladies' \$5.00 Bronze Shoes, lace, Louis heels, welt soles, now \$1.95
Ladies' \$5.00 Patent Leather Pumps, leather Louis heels, pointed toes, welt soles \$1.95
Ladies' Walk-Over \$4.00 Louis heel pointed toe Shoes, leather tops, welt soles now \$1.95
Ladies' Fancy Top Shoes, in lace and button, Louis heels, patent leather vamps, \$6.00 grade, now \$1.95
Ladies' Plain Pumps, Walk-Over brand, medium heels, welt soles, full round toe, \$4.00 grade, now \$2.45
Ladies' \$5.00 Walk-Over Patent Kid Black Cloth Top Button Shoes, broad toe, high Cuban heel, welt sole \$1.95
Ladies' \$4.50 Walk-Over Tan Lace Shoes, welt sole, low heel, broad toe, now \$1.95
Ladies' \$4.00 Leather Pumps, Louis heels, welt sole, narrow toes, now \$1.45
Ladies' \$2.50 Patent Pumps, "Whirl" last, medium heels, Walk-Over brand, now \$1.45
Children's Patent and Kid Leather Button Shoes, good wearing soles \$1.15

White Canvas Pumps, welt sole, military heels, Walk-Over \$3.50 grade, now 95c
Ladies' \$4.00 Strap Pumps, all leather, medium heel and toe, welt soles, Walk-Over, now \$2.45
Ladies' \$3.50 Patent One-strap Pumps, Louis heel, stage toe, now \$2.45
Ladies' \$4.00 Kid Button Welt Shoes, welt soles, medium heel and toe, now \$2.45
Misses' and Growing Girls' Patent Leather Button Shoes, welt soles \$1.98
Misses' and Growing Girls' Kid Button Shoes, extension soles of solid leather \$2.00
Misses' Cypress Kid Button Shoes, in EE widths \$1.75
Children's Kid Button Shoes with good stout leather sole now \$1.45
Misses' and Growing Girls' patent leather, cloth top, hand turned, button shoes \$2.19
Children's and Misses' Kid Button Shoes, Sale Price 79c
Misses' and Children's Patent Button Shoes, priced at \$1.19
Children's and Misses' White Canvas Pumps & Slippers, Price \$1.95
Children's and Misses' Kid Button Shoes, cloth tops, Sale Price \$1.49
Misses' and Children's White Canvas and Buck Button Shoes, at \$1.35



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Society

Not deterred by the white frost which covered Aurora at about 5 bells this morning, women were busily engaged during the day in "putting out plants." Last night the pretty custom of May baskets was observed by the children, notwithstanding the fact that popcorn was necessarily utilized instead of spring flowers in filling most of them. One picture which will remain in memory for years was that of the two little children of Dr. Glenn Putnam, walking carefully up the path, bearing a much decorated pink basket (twicely made by childish fingers) and containing a card addressed with equally childish fingers. Light footsteps dashed about the walks surrounding the house for an hour or so as children left baskets with all the pomp and ceremony which means so much to the little people. In the days of war and pestilence and sadness generally, it is a joy to go back in spirit to the days when a May basket was a most important part of life.

The Red Cross Shop.
A fair representation of women attended the Red Cross Shop meeting this morning on the second floor of the Y. M. C. A. building, but this representation was not at all what it should be and not at all what it will be in the near future. If the Red Cross Shop were in Chicago, it would be in every other state in the union. The making of those Red Cross dressings is a real art and it would seem, quite as sensible at present writing as crocheting lace for the ends of bath towels and wash cloths.

The Benefit of Red Cross.
The clever minstrel performance which is to be staged in the near future at the Fox theater for the benefit of the Red Cross, was under consideration this morning by a committee from the shop with the director, E. W. McClave. Mr. McClave states that he brought the first moving picture to the city ever shown here—the Passion Play, shown in the S. S. Senecaugh store. These pictures were of the 1890 performance—the last pictures ever taken of the Passion Play.

Mr. McClave was busy at work during the day interviewing well known people and securing their cooperation in bringing about this performance for the purpose of raising Red Cross money.

To Sew on Monday.
Another sewing meeting which has been launched is that which is to be held each Monday at the E. F. Schoeberlein garage for the purpose of sewing and knitting for both the French wounded and for the Navy League. When it is considered that there are 52,000 American boys enlisted in France at the present time, there is reason to believe, so say the women, that anything made is quite as likely to go upon an American as a Frenchman. They will make the little kits so wanted by the Navy League, and will also make shirts. Others will knit.

This in no wise interferes with the regular meeting of the Red Cross Shop on Wednesdays, as women can, if they desire, attend both.

Mrs. W. S. Frazier, who recently returned from a visit to Boston, came home with the conviction that it is wise for the women of this section to make every effort to remain sane and calm, no matter what the pull upon the heartstrings. "There is a tendency in the east to become hysterical," said she. "Women will be of far greater help if they 'keep calm.' She is also of the opinion that women can aid greatly by avoiding all waste, but that it is not well to simplify the life too greatly, particularly in the way of dress and employment of help, because by so doing, it may throw out of employment many women who are obliged to earn a living by going out into domestic service or by garment making.

The Silk Shoes.
One of the leading shoe dealers in the city was of the opinion this morning that the silk shoes which are being shown in Chicago, will not be put in stock to any great extent because of the great hazard. The price is such that a woman will naturally demand that a shoe wear reasonably well, and as yet the silk shoe has not been tested. In his opinion the leather of which shoes are made, will not be any too good for a year or two—that is the leather in shoes of moderate price. He believes that the price of shoes will go down in time, but that in all probability shoes will never be as cheap as they have been in the past.

Christian Culture Class.
Fifty-four members of the Christian Culture class of the First Methodist church attended the annual banquet last evening at the church. The banquet was served by members of the Ladies Aid society of the First church. The tables were extremely attractive in Jonquille and ferns.

The place card, in the form of an attractive booklet, bore a snapshot picture of the much beloved teacher of the class, Miss Ellen Chang, as well as the colors, green and gold. With were found the words of the Hymn of Social Service, which was sung at the conclusion of the program.

The following was the program:
Song, "Spring"—Mrs. Beale H. Miller.

"Spring is in the Air. The Spirit of a Woman's Bible Class"—Miss Helen Chatfield.

"Next Builders. What a Woman's Bible Class"—Mrs. Margaret Cooper.

"Seed Packets. Aims of a Woman's Bible Class"—Mrs. Margaret Cooper.

"How Does Your Garden Grow? Our Class Activities"—Mrs. Laura Encke.

"Spring Flowers. The Blessings of Difficulties"—Mrs. Reid.

"Spring and Roses"—Mrs. Beale H. Miller.

"Hymns of Passage. Other Classes I Have Known"—Mrs. John L. Cass.

girls. Miss Oglin is earnestly working among the girls of this central field with the idea of leading them to see the necessity of preparing for the new conditions brought about by the war. As no doubt many girls will be compelled to take the place of men sent to the front, and many will be, doubtless, compelled to go from one city to another, as factories in one section shut down and others operate at increased output—she urges the girls to prepare by saving strength and money, and by learning to stand fast and square no matter what conditions confront them.

Bridge Its.
A meeting of the Bridge Its will be held Friday at the country home of Mrs. E. C. Johnson, west of town. Luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock. With any sort of weather at all, this should be one of the most enjoyable meetings of the year.

Coming Home Tonight.
Mrs. Emma Alschuler and son, Joe, who have reached Chicago, and a telephone message from them, this morning stated that they would arrive home this evening. They have been spending the winter in California.

"Pageant of Nations."
"The Pageant of Nations," an elaborate spectacular entertainment, recently at the Fourth Street Methodist church was repeated last evening at the East High school auditorium for the benefit of Young School Parent-Teacher club. Mrs. Emma Skinner Miller coached the young people and played the accompaniments for the songs and dances. More than \$90.00 were present. It was a much more finished production than "the first as the stage facilities at the high school are much better and several new features had been added.

The stage setting was especially beautiful. The large flag which has been made at the Morlock Manufacturing company was draped across the back of the stage and a huge basket of red, white and blue flowers, donated by J. M. Smely, adorned the center of the platform. Each nation was represented by a young man and woman who, garbed in appropriate costume, entered the stage dancing and singing. England, Scotland, Ireland, France, Germany, Switzerland, Holland, Sweden, Norway, Russia, Italy, Spain, Japan and China were all introduced by the entertainers.

America was represented by the Goddess of Liberty. "The Bachelor's Dream" was also given in which all the girls who appear before the bachelor are rejected until the American girl arrives. The program closed with a march of the nations and the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner."

The members of the cast will be entertained by the women of the Fourth Street Methodist church at a banquet in the high school cafeteria next Tuesday evening.

For Bride-elects.
Miss Chloe Holt and Miss Irene Faith entertained last evening at the home of the former in South Street in honor of Miss Beale Hanks and Miss Marguerite Johns whose weddings occur soon. At cards Miss Hanks won high honors and Miss Clara Heitkotter received the all out favor. A dainty luncheon was served later with the decorations in pink and white. While the guests were seated at the table a messenger brought two large May baskets filled with gifts for the bride-elects.

Ypsawannee Dramatic Club.
The Ypsawannee Dramatic club will give a three-act college play, "The Betty Wales Girls and Mr. Kidd," in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium Thursday evening at 8 o'clock under the direction of Mrs. H. D. Rhodes. The cast of characters is as follows: Betty Wales.....Ethel Rhodes, Bob Parker.....Lillian Schwarz, Babbie Hildreth.....Margaret McEnroe, Babe Henderson.....Joanne Moorman, Madeline Ayers.....Mildred Pratt, Helen Chase.....Helen Burke, Roberta Lewis.....Eva McManus, Georgiana Ames.....Luella Bagley, Mary Brooks.....Pearl Dunsay, Miss Priscilla Hicks.....Agnes Leigh, Georgia Ames.....Stella Fuss, The Mysterious Mr. O. Upton Kidd. There will be songs by the Orpheus male quartet and Mrs. Kathryn Hurd Stephens, and readings by Miss June Rhodes.

Five Hundred Club.
Miss Cecile Herman entertained the members of a five hundred club at her home in North Fourth street Monday evening. Miss Grace Wroughton and Mrs. Leroy Stephens won the scores.

K. G. Dance.
Sixty young people enjoyed the May dancing party given by the Young People's club of the Knights of Columbus in K. C. hall last evening. Colored orchestra played, featuring the banjo. Another party will be given next Wednesday evening.

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Ladies' All Wool Serge Coats
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Coat is seven-eighths length, has a full back, artistically pleated and held in place with a narrow belt; has a large cape collar of taffeta and serge, wide cuff, and

large pockets, entire coat is daintily trimmed with buttons. Material is a splendid quality, all wool serge; guaranteed to wear satisfactorily. All sizes from 16 Misses' up to 44. Very specially priced at \$9.98.

Young Women's and Misses' All Wool Poplin Coat \$9.98

A very beautiful, stylish coat, full ripple coat, broad collar of self material with silk poplin over collar all round belt and trimmed with handsome buttons, in the following vivid shades: Apple leaf green, gold, sulphur, Belgian blue and copen. Misses' and ladies' sizes.

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Beautiful Models Economically Priced. Our suits are known far and wide for their beautiful styles, exquisite tailoring and their very high grade materials. Our low prices, too, lend an added charm to these beautiful, serviceable garments. Misses' suits in beautiful styles with guaranteed fabrics and linings, in navy blue, copen blue, black and checks, at \$15.00 and \$12.50.

Women's suits of men's wear serge and rampur chuddah cloth, that beautiful, non-mussable silk and wool material, at \$25.00 and \$27.50.

Children's Coats

We offer a very handsome selection of high grade coats for children, in ages from 6 to 16 years. Priced from \$10.00 down to \$3.98.

All Wool Serge Coat Priced at \$3.98

Coat is made of a good quality, all wool serge, has collar of same material, and wide over collar of silk poplin, full back, belted in with wide belt, large pockets and deep cuffs, trimmed throughout with fancy cuffs; navy, copen and tan. Sizes 6 to 14 years. A handsome coat, very specially priced at \$3.98.

NOTICE—Owing to the ever increasing cost of materials, all coats and suits will be much higher in the future. We advise early selections. It will save you money.

\$25, \$30 and \$35 Dresses, \$15

About 40 dresses have been selected and placed on sale at \$15.00. The materials are the very finest of costume georgette, all silk crepe de chine, finest of guaranteed taffetas and combinations of taffeta and georgette. These are all the famous "Little Duchess" dresses, unquestionably the highest grade dresses made in America, and decidedly the most beautiful garments shown in this city.

The styles are the last word in style authority and in the following shades, old rose, Belgian blue, Copenhagen blue, navy, oyster gray, etc. Sizes run from 16 Misses' up to 38 bust. Your choice, including the \$35.00 values, \$15.00.

These dresses will be on sale for a few days only to reduce stock, but while they are on sale they will be sold exactly as advertised. If interested, ACT QUICKLY.



More than 100 distinctively new, and handsome styles just received. The selection is practically limitless, each one and every one a dainty and handsome garment. Crepe de chine waists, in white and all high shades, range from \$2.95 up to \$7.50. Voile, the popular sheer fabric, range from \$2.75 down to 50c.

\$1.50 Value Chiffon Taffeta at \$1.25

This is a splendid quality of soft finished chiffon taffeta, yard wide and guaranteed by the manufacturer to give perfect wear. The following colors will be on sale: Navy blue, Copenhagen blue, French blue, old rose, ash of roses, golden brown, pearl gray, sky blue, lemon, shell pink and black. This is ideal quality for suits, skirts, dresses and coats. Yard wide. Very specially priced for tomorrow, per yard, \$1.25.

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A beautiful satin finished, heavy all silk, crepe de chine. The season's most popular fabric for fancy gowns and waists. Wears and cleans beautifully. On sale in the following colors: Old rose, ash of roses, flesh, shell pink, sky blue, canary, lemon, nile, white and black. Very greatly underpriced for tomorrow's sale, per yard, \$1.25.

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Ladies' Extra Size Skirts at \$3.98

Material is a high grade all-wool serge, style is a very graceful model for the full figure, smooth front panel with deep side pleats, fancy side gore, button trimmed, full shirred back with girdle; comes in navy, grays and black. All waist measures from 30 to 37 inch waist. Very specially priced for this sale at \$3.98.

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MACHINE GUNS AT BALL PARK

Lieut. Carr to Give Exhibit
at Opening of Baseball
Season Next Sunday.

AURORA IS TO PLAY CO

Lieut. Hal Carr of the Third Re-
machine gun company has consented
to give the boys of the 10th Re-
give the baseball game next Sunday
ternoon. It will be the first the
Lewis machine gun has ever been de-
monstrated in Aurora.

Two of the machine guns will be
to the park at noon Sunday. Lieut.
Carr and Sergt. William Farum will
six men to the park. They will put
the guns in position and the demon-
ing of the guns will be demonstrate.

The machine gun company was or-
dered on the Mexican border. Carr,
sergeant of company 1, made a re-
study of the gun.

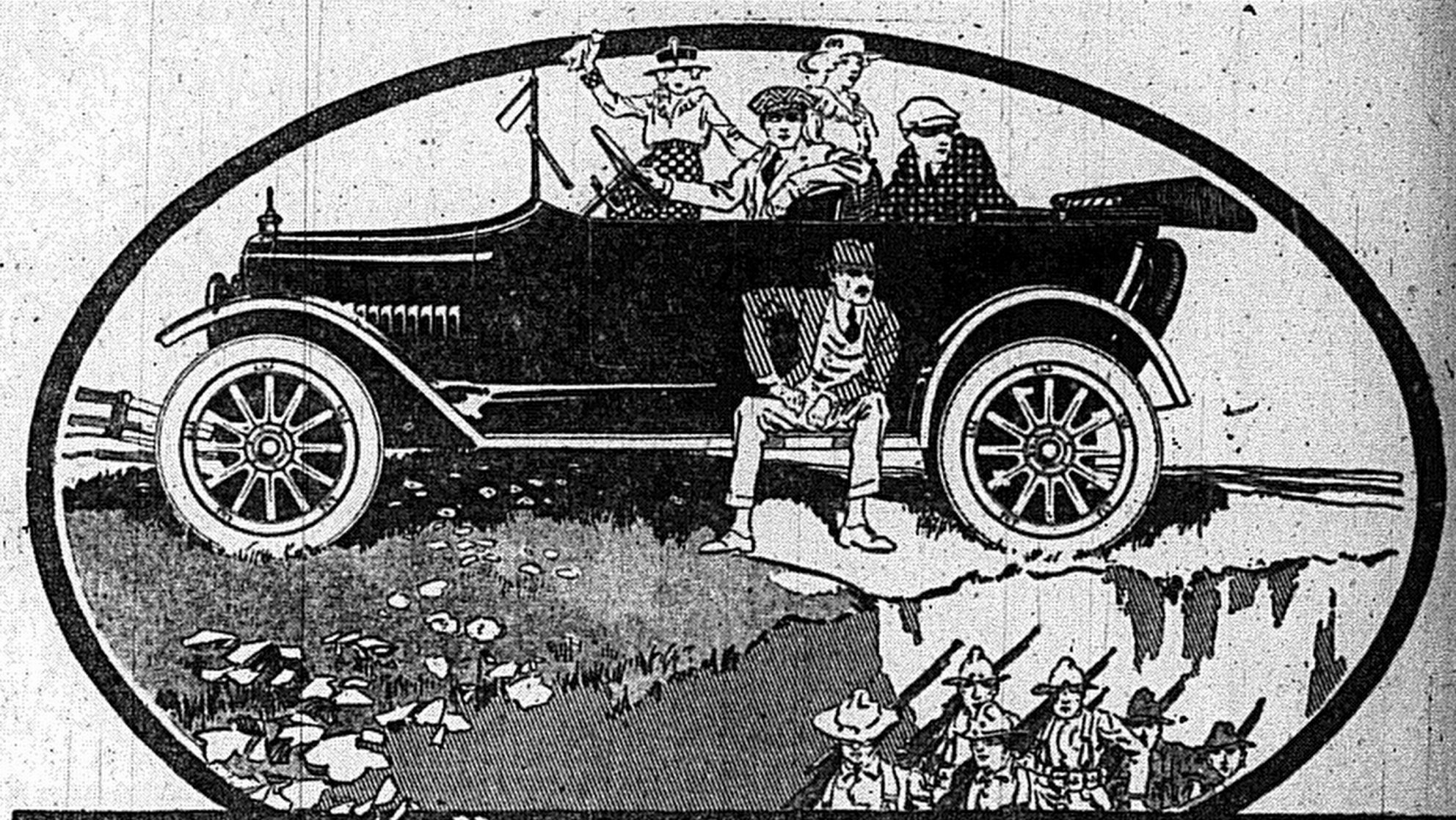
He was then ordered to report
to the rank of lieutenant and plac-
command of the company. When
the regiment returned from the border
Carr was promoted to first lieuten-
and the machine gun company and
trucks were brought back and ar-
rived at the army.

In addition to the machine gun the baseball management is planning raising exercises. A pole is being in center field. Just before game the big flag will be run up, with the sol Mayor Harley and the baseball p taking part.

The baseball game, between Aurora Ragen's Colts of the Chicago City 1 will start at 8 o'clock. It will be the game of the season. The park w have been opened last Sunday bu grounds were too wet.

Manager Adams expects today to definitely from Joe Kernan, Chicago fielder, who will be played at second if he decides to come here. Kernan, second base for Oshkosh in the Wisconsin league and was drafted by White Sox. He fractured his leg while on the training trip.

Mitchell will start the game for White Sox while either "Red" Ormsby or Bill Wirtz will work for the Colts. The latter was drafted for Chicago in the Federal League. Ormsby has long been considered the best semi-pro twirler in Chicago. He was the Garden City Bat season.



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At the Theaters

FOX—Tonight—"The Americano," with Douglas Fairbanks.

TOMORROW—Selig's eight-reel feature, "Bevare of Strangers," with an all star cast.

ORPHEUM—Tonight and Tomorrow—"The Social Buccaneer," Also Chapter 12 of "The Secret Kingdom."

PALM—Tonight and Tomorrow—"Mary Lawson's Secret," a drama of swift action with a surprising climax.

STRAND—Tonight and Tomorrow—"Fannie Ward in the Lasky comedy-drama, 'The School for Husbands.'"

Also a Fox two-reel comedy, "The Cloud Puncher."

STAR—Tonight—"The Clash Steel," and a good Nestor comedy.

TOMORROW—A two-reel Black Cat feature, "The Ham That Wan," Also Selig-Tribune News.

At The Strand



FANNIE WARD

"School for Husbands."

Fannie Ward is seen as a clever young society woman in the picture-play adaptation of Stanislaus Stange's comedy, "The School for Husbands," which is at the Strand theater.

The photoplay version of this clever story was prepared especially for Miss Ward by Harvey T. Thew.

Betty Manners, the wife of John Manners, who loves to play the races, his wife, feeling that she must economize, goes around in ost unbecoming and inexpensive clothes. John becomes

infatuated with another woman just as his wife discovers that she is the heiress to a vast fortune. She realizes she is losing her husband by her plain dress.

She first arrays herself in better clothes and then, thru an old friend, manages to arouse her husband's jealousy. How the husband is taught to look only toward his own freedom, is brought about by many clever and amusing situations.

The production was made for the Lasky company under the direction of George Melford.

THE BUSY HERO.

Douglas Fairbanks returned today to the Fox theater in the Triangle picture play, "Americano."

The play Fairbanks goes to Paragon, a South American country, arrives just while the country is in the throes of a revolution, starts out to discover the former president, who has been shooed out of office by a usurper, rescues the daughter, makes life a struggle for the bushes, re-establishes the legitimate president and incidentally wins the hand of the latter's daughter for a life mate. He scales walls, climbs trees, whips a whole company of South American soldiers in a subterranean passage and comes up smiling.

Social Chatter

Mrs. Ellen Ritter of 212 Cedar street is seriously ill at the St. Charles hospital.

Early tomato plants, 15c per dozen. Aurora Greenhouse Co., on the island.

Miss Mary E. Breeze of New York street, who is undergoing treatment at St. Joseph's hospital for rheumatism, is doing well.

Miss Palmer's school of short-hand, 87 S. 4th St. Chi. phone 991-W.

Mrs. Roy Conklin and little daughter, Shirley, are visiting Mr. Conklin at Appleton, Wis.

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Frank O'Meara of Billings, Mont., is visiting friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ryburn have

returned from St. Petersburg, Florida, where they spent the winter months.

Mrs. Margaret Ashford of Iowa City, Iowa, is visiting at the home of Mrs. J. P. Ashford at Columbia street.

Jay Kibben and Miss Myrtle Schuerman of Chicago spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Russ in High street.

Miss Margaret Thelen of Chicago is a guest at the home of Mrs. J. P. Ashford in Columbia street.

Miss Margaret Peck has been visiting in Chicago for the past few days.

Mrs. Lyle Planders, 18 North Lake street entertained a number of friends and young friends of her little son Wilbur yesterday afternoon in honor of his birthday.

AURORA MAY SECURE NEXT WOODMEN MEET

Aurora may get the next triennial state convention of the Modern Woodmen of America to be held in 1920 as a result of the invitation to be extended to the delegates at the

added attractions for convention delegates.

The magnitude of the convention may be realized when it is known that there will be at least 1,500 delegates at the Decatur convention. The growth of the order in the next three years will result in more delegates.

Kane county is entitled to nine delegates at the convention and Aurora has two. The Aurora delegates are John Rackmyer and Guy Reynolds.

convention to be held at Decatur beginning today.

Atty. T. E. Ryan of St. Charles, leader in Woodmen circles for many years and one of the chief leaders when the contest was waged a year ago, will make the speech at the convention asking that Aurora be chosen. Attorney Ryan, in addition to being an eloquent speaker, is familiar with the resources of Aurora and vicinity, which can be held up as

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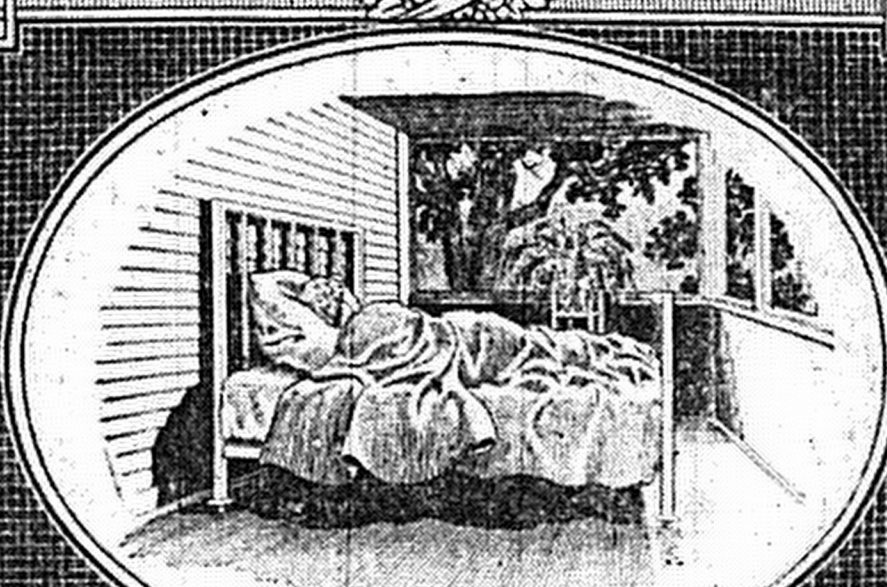
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